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SUBJECT: GREEK-EC RELATIONS: REQUEST BY CARAMANLIS FOR US
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YOU MAY TELL CARAMANLIS THAT THE USG CONTINUES TO LOOK WITH FAVOR ON A CLOSER GREEK RELATIONSHIP WITH WESTERN EUROPE AND WE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE GREEK-EC AFFILIATION EXPRESSED AT THE TIME OF THE 1961 AGREEMENT, AND WILL SO STATE IF QUESTION IS RAISED BY EC MEMBERS. WE CONSIDER EC ACTION ON THE GREEK REQUEST FOR ACCELERATED MEMBERSHIP ESSENTIALLY A MATTER FOR THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY ITSELF TO DECIDE. CARAMANLIS MAY BE ASSURED THAT US REPS HAVE NOT IN ANY WAY SOUGHT TO INTERFERE IN THE EC'S CONSIDERATION OF THE TIMING OR ANY OTHER ASPECT OF GREEK EC MEMBERSHIP. INGERSOLL UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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